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2. How many rushing yards does Cowboys RB Ezekiel Elliott have so far this season?
3. Which big movie star is "Mozart in the Jungle" actress Lola Kirke starring with in her upcoming movie "American Made"?

3 things you need to know

US SURGEON GENERAL GIVES THUMBS DOWN TO E-CIGARETTES

The U.S. surgeon general in a report called for action to reduce the use of e-cigarettes among young people, noting they have overtaken cigarettes to become the most commonly used tobacco products among this group. Vivek Murthy, the country's top doctor, in the first Surgeon General's report on e-cigarettes use among youths, said young people were more vulnerable to the negative consequences of nicotine exposure than adults and should be protected. "We know a great deal about what works to effectively prevent tobacco use among young people," the report said. "Now we must apply these strategies to e-cigarettes." The report recommends that e-cigarettes be incorporated into existing smoke-free policies to prevent youth from accessing e-cigarettes. **REUTERS**

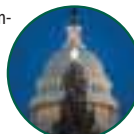


US ESTIMATES 50,000 ISLAMIC STATE FIGHTERS KILLED SO FAR

The U.S. military believes that some 50,000 Islamic State fighters have been killed since the United States started battling the group more than two years ago, a senior U.S. military official said on Thursday, calling it a "conservative estimate." The official, who spoke to Pentagon reporters on condition of anonymity, said the figure showed how the United States was effectively combating the group with U.S.-led coalition airpower and limited U.S. troop deployments in support of local forces. **REUTERS**

MASSIVE ANNUAL DEFENSE POLICY BILL PASSES US CONGRESS

The U.S. Senate overwhelmingly passed a compromise version of an annual defense policy bill without controversial provisions such as requiring women to register for the draft or allowing contractors to make religion-based hiring decisions. Ninety-two senators backed the \$618.7 billion National Defense Authorization Act, or NDAA, and seven opposed it. Because it passed the House of Representatives by a similarly large margin last week, the bill now goes to the White House for President Barack Obama to veto or sign into law. The White House would not comment on Thursday on what Obama would do. On Dec. 2, a spokesman had said officials were still reviewing the legislation. However, the NDAA passed both chambers in the Republican-led Congress with margins large enough to overcome a veto, and the compromise legislation features many provisions such as a raise for U.S. forces and an expansion of a landmark human rights bill. **REUTERS**

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The apartment building where the family lived was designated for homeless residents. **GOOGLE MAPS**; Ibanez, top, and Scylee-Vayoh Ambrose. **FACEBOOK**/PETER AMBROSE

De Blasio calls heater explosion that killed Bronx toddlers 'freak accident'

A multiagency investigation will try to determine what caused a valve to burst.



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Mayor Bill de Blasio called the deaths of two Bronx toddlers burned from a burst radiator "unprecedented" and "a freak accident," and assured New Yorkers that a detailed explanation would follow a rigorous investigation that is underway.

Sisters Scylee Vayoh Ambrose, 1, and Ibanez Ambrose, 2, died from burns they suffered on Wednesday when a radiator valve in their apartment burst and filled the room with scalding steam. At least one of their parents was inside the home when the rupture occurred, according to reports.

"This was a freak accident, a series of painful coincidences that led to the loss of these children," de Blasio said during the news confer-

ence Thursday afternoon. "We are trying to put the pieces together, but so far cannot understand how something like this could happen."

The assumption, he said, is that something happened to the valve, which caused it to separate and spew steam "with extraordinary intensity."

An expert on the topic of heating systems and radiators, Peter Grech, director of education at the Superintendent Technical Association, said he has not a clue what could have happened.

"I've been a superintendent for 41 years and this is the first time I've ever heard of one blowing up," he told Metro.

"There are probably hundreds of thousands of radiators in New York, so this is extremely unusual. I have a feeling we may see a regulation coming over this," Grech added.

The mayor said the multiagency investigation will seek to determine how the steam explosion occurred, adding that an initial examination of the building's heating unit, which he described as

Tips for radiator safety

Cast-iron radiators should be protected with a cover to prevent burns from touching or steam.

If noises are coming from the radiator, don't assume it's normal. Call a super as soon as possible.

The valve should be fully open or fully closed. It should never be half open or three-quarters open as that will limit the water to the radiator and increase banging.

If a little steam is coming out of the vent it needs to be replaced.

On a one-pipe steam radiator, the valve needs to be tilted slightly toward the radiator, while the air vent pipe needs to be perfectly vertical.

Source: Peter Grech, Director of Education at the Superintendent Technical Association of New York

having a joint oil system, did not indicate any serious trouble in the other

apartments.

He said that a leading expert he consulted has "never seen anything like this."

For safety reasons, four other families have moved out of the apartment building. The six-story, privately owned building at 720 Hunts Point Ave. is considered "cluster housing" because it combines homeless families with families such as the Ambroses, who are not homeless.

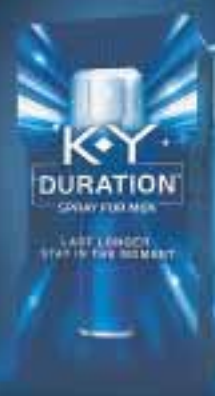
Bronx Borough President announced late Thursday afternoon that he has asked City Council Member Rafael Salama to introduce legislation that would prevent the city from leasing space for homeless individuals in buildings that have outstanding C-level code violations or stop-work orders.

"The cluster homeless shelter program has been broken for a long time and should have been eliminated years ago," he said.

The mayor said during his news conference that the city "absolutely, as planned, will close all the cluster sites."



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Harlem youth hockey scores \$25K in gear thanks to boy paying it forward

A good deed by Upper West Side resident Dylan Gallagher, 12, resulted in Ice Hockey in Harlem landing new sticks, helmets and skates.



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What started out as a small equipment drive for underprivileged hockey players turned into Christmas coming early for a Harlem-based youth hockey program.

Upper West Side resident and youth hockey player Dylan Gallagher, 12, was looking to pay it forward as part of his bar mitzvah project. He started an equipment drive for Ice Hockey in Harlem (IHH) with his family, friends and teammates on the North Jersey Avalanche, which is based in Hackensack.

"I wanted to give back to my community, and I thought this would be the perfect organization for me," he told Metro.

Through the power of social media, ice hockey equipment manufacturer CCM got wind of Gallagher's good deed



Upper West Side resident Dylan Gallagher, 12, inspired CCM's donation. TOM ROARTY

and wanted to help. On Wednesday, the company donated \$25,000 worth of brand-new helmets, skates and sticks to the organization.

"To get CCM to come give Ice Hockey in Harlem an early Christmas present, I'm just shocked," Gallagher said. "We never thought it would come to this," his dad, Rich, added.

They weren't the only ones. Gallagher, his family, CCM representatives, former New

York Ranger and current NHL analyst Ron Duguay and IHH Executive Director John Sanful presented the new gear to many surprised kids from IHH at the Lasker Rink in northern Central Park before the group's practice.

"Hockey is such an expensive sport, and we work with kids who come from economically disadvantaged households, so this is going to be a huge boost for us," Sanful said. "We share a

lot of things, and this is actually going to give us the opportunity for kids to hold onto or keep their own stick. When you have something, you really understand the value of it."

Founded in 1987, IHH currently has 245 kids, 30 percent of them girls, in its program. The players range in age from 5 to 18.

Almost since its beginning, the Rangers have been involved with IHH, with many

team members past and present appearing on the organization's home ice in Central Park over the years.

"I do a lot of events with IHH," Duguay said. He grew up playing hockey in his native Canada, "when it was easy and inexpensive," he added. "Because of all the fun I've been through playing hockey, to see a child not be able to play because they can't afford it, that's sad."

"If I can be part of something where they can do it where it's very inexpensive for them and just requires their time and willing to want to do it, I'm all for that."

To further encourage other young hockey players to pay it forward, CCM created its social media campaign, CCM Assists, last year.

"It was a way for them to galvanize members of the community to do good deeds during the holidays," company representative Sandra Carreon-John said.

For the month of December, CCM will monitor youth players who post about good deeds using #CCMAssists. In January, the company will pick five kids who will have the chance to earn new hockey sticks for their team or a team of their choice.

But for now, CCM's donation to IHH is not something Gallagher or his family will soon forget being a part of.

"The important thing is the lesson Dylan's learning from this," his mother, Jodi, said. "From one little thing he did, all of this greatness comes. The lesson in giving is you pay it forward. CCM assisting in his good deed is an amazing lesson for him to learn."

Queens DA calls for DNA technique to solve killing of Karina Vetrano

Queens District Attorney Richard A. Brown is urging New York state officials to employ a forensic technique that may solve the case of who killed Karina Vetrano.

The 30-year-old Howard Beach woman was last seen alive as she headed out for a late afternoon jog on Aug. 2. When she didn't return home, her father called police. NYPD officers discovered her body later that evening in a marshy area near the jogging path. She had been strangled and sexually assaulted.

Familial searching is a tool that can identify potential suspects who may not be in state data-

bases by comparing their DNA to family members along the Y chromosome. Though controversial, it's been touted recently as a solution to Vetrano's killing more than four months ago.

In a letter sent to Michael Green, executive deputy commissioner for the state Division of Criminal Justice, Green said Vetrano's slaying "has been exhaustively investigated using every tool currently available, but remains unsolved."

DNA was recovered from Vetrano's body. Investigators found DNA from a single male profile under her fingernails, on her neck and on her cellphone. But there were



Karina Vetrano, seen here with her father, was killed on Aug. 2. The crime remains unsolved. GOFUNDME

no matches in any data banks.

"The killer remains at large, the public remains in danger, and the suf-

fering of the victim's family is amplified by law enforcement's inability to yet solve this most awful crime. The victim, her

family, and the public deserve justice and we have an obligation to use every means at our disposal to identify the

murderer. I believe that familial searching can be a powerful investigative tool in this case," Brown wrote in the letter.

Vetrano's family has been aggressively fundraising online to supplement the \$35,000 reward offered by the NYPD and mayor's office for information that leads to an arrest. As of Thursday, the GoFundMe campaign had raised \$285,761.

Vetrano's father, Philip, told Newsday last month that he intended to raise the issue with police and government entities.

"I am going to stop at nothing to have this done," he said.

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Brooklyn's Morbid Anatomy Museum delights in death but needs \$75K to survive

Brooklyn's Morbid Anatomy Museum, the black corner building at Seventh Street and Third Avenue dedicated to the beauty of death, is having a hard time staying alive.

The museum opened two years ago with a full-bodied program of salon discussions, film and lecture series and quaint exhibitions such as "The Kittens' Wedding" featuring Victorian-costumed taxidermied cats from the 1890s, as well as the permanent exhibits of artifacts and preserved specimens. Despite critical acclaim, the nonprofit institute needs at least \$75,000 to keep its doors open through 2017.

A blog post and a YouTube video appealing to patrons and enthusiasts of "death and beauty" asks for donations to pay the rent for the 4,200-square-foot space and to carry on their popular programming.

"Let's face facts: There are not a lot of grant programs for 'death and



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beauty,' and there is no major philanthropic foundation dedicated to 'the celebration of artifacts, histories and ideas that fall between the cracks of high and low culture.' Our founders have been exceptionally generous in seeing us through the launch of this incredible experiment, but we need to build a stronger base of support from our community to continue our efforts," it explained in a news release.

The museum's co-founder, Joanna Ebenstein, said she had become fascinated with creatures alive and dead as a girl — and would sometimes bring dead spiders to school to freak out her classmates. As a teen, she once brought home a dead owl and dissected it. Her father encouraged her interests by giving her a taxidermy kit.

"You know, a specimen in a jar is as interesting to me as a cat on my lap that's alive," Ebenstein told NPR.

Upcoming events at the Morbid Anatomy Exhibit include their holiday flea market on Sunday, a lecture on entertainer W.C. Fields on Monday, a private tour of their current featured exhibit "Securing the Shadow: Posthumous Portraiture in America" by the chief curator at the American Folk Art Museum on Dec. 15, and their Krampus Christmas party with costume contest on Dec. 16.

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Mr. Metcalf lit up every year as he saw the faces of children unwrap their holiday gifts. It is our goal to keep that magic alive.

"Tony felt we should use the size and scale of Metro to help other's and he used enormous dedication and force to execute the project and every year make children in need a little happier during the holiday season," said Metro's Chief Executive Officer Yggers Mortensen.

"I am proud to continue this project in honor of Tony and I hope all our readers, suppliers and members of the Metro team will help to make

this yet another great Metro Magic year."

Metro has created a wish list at the Target website that readers can access by going to Metro.us and clicking on the Tony's Metro Magic story on the homepage.

From there, just choose the toys you wish to donate, pay online using Target's secure payment system, and your gifts, along with your name attached, will be delivered to Metro's offices in each city.

This season, we hope you will remember the children who will spend the holidays in shelters or who may not have gifts to open. Even one small gift can make a big difference in a child's holiday season.

It's good to receive a gift. It's better to give one. METRO

SantaCon booze ban on LIRR, Metro-North

Hey Santas! If you were looking forward to bellying up to the bar on the MTA's Long Island Rail Road and Metro-North Railroad during SantaCon, here's a big pile of Ebenezer Scrooge.

MTA has announced that no alcohol will be permitted on the LIRR and Metro-North

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Expect police officers on duty in Penn Station, Grand Central and on trains to keep an eye on the naughty or nice. If you're caught, your beverage will be seized, you could be booted from the train and slapped with a summons.

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NYC will no longer store data from ID card program

The decision is an effort to protect immigrants from possible deportation under President-elect Donald Trump.

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To protect undocumented immigrants from the possibility of deportation under President-elect Donald Trump, New York City will no longer hold onto data collected from those who apply for a municipal ID card.

"The IDNYC program will be transitioning to a policy that does not

involve the retention of cardholders' personal background documents," according to a joint statement from Mayor Bill de Blasio's office and the City Council. "We expect to begin processing complete applications under the new policy in January."

IDNYC cards are used as a legal form of identification for New Yorkers, regardless of immigration status. It allows holders to open bank accounts, get memberships to city libraries and museums, qualify for discounts and other benefits.

Card applicants still need to bring documents proving their

identity to obtain an IDNYC card, but the city will no longer retain information from those documents.

Such personal data is still on file from the hundreds of thousands of New Yorkers who are already cardholders, and the city has until Dec. 31 to decide what to do with that information. A provision of the law put into place at the beginning of the IDNYC program allows the information to be destroyed up until the end of this year.

Some city officials disagree with the impending change.

"It is unconscionable that the City of New York would distribute



nearly 900,000 identification cards, then destroy all the documents applicants used to apply for those cards," Staten Island Assemblywoman Nicole Malliotakis said at a press conference on Dec. 5. "This data could be helpful in the future to investigate a crime perpetrated with the use of an IDNYC card."

Malliotakis and Assemblyman Ron Castorina, both Republicans, said they "commenced legal action" to keep the

information obtained from IDNYC card applications. They also said that the identification program enables fraud, with one of the findings from the "The 9/11 Commission Report" was the discovery that some of the hijackers were able to secure fake IDs.

Responding to those allegations earlier this week, the mayor's spokeswoman, Rosemary Boeglin, said that "IDNYC cannot be used to obtain a driver's li-

cense, board a plane or cross a border" or apply for additional documents such as a passport.

A major cornerstone of Trump's presidential campaign was his pledge to deport millions of undocumented immigrants. His pick for U.S. Attorney General, Alabama Sen. Jeff Sessions, is a strong proponent for tougher border control measures and has advocated for the reduction of legal immigration.

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ParkServe will share park data to help planners improve recreation space

The data includes information about nearly 14,000 parks nationwide.



Next year, urban planners across the country will have a handy new tool at their disposal to help better inform them on the placement of parks and other recreation in their respective cities. Together with ESRI, the Trust for Public Land (TPL) have been developing a new website called ParkServe that has culled park data from nearly 14,000 parks across the country. As Statescoop shares, in addition assisting in park planning through open-space advocacy



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and research, the new site will help citizens take advantage of, and have a say in the devel-

opment of, local parks.

One of the site's most useful tools will be its ability to help park

planners, local officials, and community leaders pinpoint recreation deserts — namely where

a large percentage of residents live, but can't find a park within a 10-minute walk of their home. The TPL will also provide assistance to groups without funding to format their own geographical studies so they can build a case for new park construction in their neighborhood. Moreover, data on park amenities, investment, and acreage will also be provided through ParkServe. The TPL also hopes to integrate crowdsourcing tools down the line so that residents can input data on park amenities and conditions — a Yelp for parks of sorts.

ParkServe's data covers existing recreation space that is easily accessible by more than 80 percent of the U.S. population. The effort will be expanded

through the United States Geological Survey (USGS) Protected Areas Database of the United States and first-hand research.

The new site is predicated on the idea that park space can "improve community health, lower pollution, increase climate resiliency and raise property tax revenue by elevating real estate prices," writes Statescoop, "[and] TPL's evidence-based approach [is one] that compels park creation."

Breece Robertson, TPL's director of conservation vision and GIS, adds, "We're hoping lots of people will use this data and integrate it into their planning processes, whether they're in the storm water department, or housing, or planning for parks."

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After all, it's because of cheese lovers that the industry has grown enough to support the event, now in its second year. Though the practice of cheesemaking is hundreds of years old, "consumer interest is really driving a resurgence," says Nicole E. Day Gray, vice president of festival producer New York Epicurean. "Social media has been really impactful on getting that information out to consumers and saying, 'Oh wow, look at all these great products.'"

The enthusiasm about cheese coincides with a time when small- and medium-sized farms are looking at diversifying their output given the low price of dairy and many other produce. The surge in interest in cheese has done nothing short of helping them save their farms, according to Gray. Cheese isn't the only thing they're making with milk instead of selling it at rock-bottom prices — new butters and yogurts are also coming to the market, as well as whey and other byproducts from the process of making cheese. "Cheese is a value-added product," she explains. "They're able to keep the profit on the farm moreso by creating a creamery on the farm."

This year's event is bringing some serious star power in the cheese world, with more award-



Raclette was among the cheesy dishes at last year's festival. B.A. VAN SISE

winning cheesemakers taking part like Vermont's Jasper Hill Farm, which claimed two Best in Class awards at this year's World Cheese Championships. Right now, the region is best at making chevre and fresh cow's milk cheese, according to Gray, but there are some "stinky awesome beautiful" cheeses as well from Vulto Creamery in the Catskills and more to come as new cheesemakers get into the business and learn the ropes of making aged and other kinds of cheeses.

The products they're working with are changing, too. The explosion in craft beer, a natural pairing with cheese, has led to farmers using vastly different brews in their washes, alongside the rising use of ciders and distilled alcohols like whiskey and bourbon. Attendees will be able to sample them all with wines, beer and cocktails, and learn more from Queens' own Trish Keene, author of "The Art of the Cheese Plate," then decide the cream of this year's crop with a People's

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Besides cheese samples, you'll find nibbles like cheese curds ("We have an amazing cheese curd resurgence in New York right now," says Gray) as well as cheese-centric dishes from top New York City chefs including Michelin-starred Hugue Dufour of M. Wells Steakhouse, Harry & Ida's Will Horowitz, Humberto Guallpa of Cuban-Chinese eatery Calle Dao and the Brazilian-tinged Favela Cubana's Brian Hayford.

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John Glenn speaks during a transfer ceremony for the Space Shuttle Discovery at the Smithsonian National Air and Space Museum Steven F. Udvar-Hazy Center in Chantilly, Virginia in 2012. GETTY IMAGES

John Glenn, former astronaut, senator, dies in Ohio at 95

Glenn was credited with reviving U.S. pride after the Soviet Union's early domination of manned space exploration.

John Glenn, who became one of the 20th century's greatest explorers as the first American to orbit Earth and later as the world's oldest astronaut, in addition to a long career as a U.S. senator, died Thursday at age 95.

Glenn, the last surviving member of the original seven American "Right Stuff" Mercury astronauts, died at the James Cancer Hospital at Ohio State University, said Hank Wilson, a spokesman at the university's John Glenn College of Public Affairs, which Glenn helped found.

Glenn's three laps around the world in the Friendship 7 capsule on Feb. 20, 1962, forged a powerful link between the former fighter pilot and the Kennedy-era quest to explore outer space as a "New Frontier."

After splashdown and recovery in the Atlantic, Glenn was treated as a hero, addressing a joint session of Congress and being feted in a New York ticker-tape parade.

The space agency tweeted: "We are saddened by the loss of Sen. John Glenn, the first American to orbit Earth. A true American hero. Godspeed, John Glenn. Ad Astra." Ad Astra is Lat-

in for "To the stars."

Sen. Bill Nelson of Florida, who orbited Earth aboard space shuttle Columbia in 1986, said, "On top of paving the way for the rest of us, he was also a first-class gentleman and an unabashed patriot."

Glenn's experiences as a pioneer astronaut were chronicled in the book and movie "The Right Stuff," along with the other Mercury pilots. The book's author, Tom Wolfe, called Glenn "the last true national hero America has ever had."

"I don't think of myself that way," Glenn told the New York Times in 2012 to mark the 50th anniversary of his flight. "I get up each day and have the same problems others have at my age. As far as trying to analyze all the attention I received, I will leave that to others."

He was elected in 1974 to the U.S. Senate and was briefly considered as a running mate for Democratic presidential candidate Jimmy Carter in 1980. But a ponderous address at the Democratic National Convention — people walked out — caused Carter to remark that Glenn was "the most boring man I ever met."

Glenn sought the Democratic presidential nomination himself in 1984 but was quickly eliminated by eventual nominee Walter Mondale. Carter's vice president. His failure was all the more stinging because he had been touted as an early front-runner.

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BRIEF

South Carolina jury views grim crime scene photos from 2015 church attack

A South Carolina jury viewed graphic photos on Thursday of bullet-riddled bodies and cartridge cases left in the wake of the June 2015 attack on an historic black church, after a federal judge denied a mistrial for accused gunman Dylann Roof.

The hushed courtroom during the presentation of the crime scene evidence stood in

contrast to the emotional testimony a day earlier by a survivor of the massacre at Emanuel African Methodist Episcopal Church in Charleston.

Lawyers for Roof, a 22-year-old avowed white supremacist, argued eyewitness Felicia Sanders had offered prejudicial and improper opinion on Wednesday, the first day of the trial, about what penalty Roof should face.

During her testimony, Sand-

ers called the defendant "evil, evil as can be" for appearing to sit innocently through a Bible study meeting at Emanuel African Methodist Episcopal Church in Charleston before opening fire.

Sanders then told defense lawyer David Bruck during cross-examination that she was glad when Roof had said at the scene that he would kill himself after gunning down nine parishioners.

"There is no place left on earth for him except the pit of hell," said Sanders, who survived with her 11-year-old granddaughter but lost her son, Tywanza Sanders, 26, and aunt, Susie Jackson, 87.

On Thursday, U.S. District Judge Richard Gergel said he viewed Sanders' comments as a religious statement and not an opinion about sentencing. He refused to strike her testimony.

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Lola Kirke's Hailey reunites with Gael García Bernal's "Maestro" on the third season of "Mozart in the Jungle," bowing today on Amazon. **AMAZON**

THE FUN STARTS HERE

Lola Kirke says 'wake the f— up'

The "Mozart in the Jungle" actress thinks we all need to find a way to talk to each other.



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Lola Kirke offers me some of the bread she's eating. She holds up a croissant and we tear it apart like a wishbone. She's been given too much, enough for two, yet you get the sense she'd break bread anyway. But the actress also has something else on her mind: The third season of "Mozart in the Jungle" — the award-gobbling dramedy about a sometimes struggling New York symphony — just dropped today on Amazon.

Once again, Kirke plays Hailey, the aspiring oboist and occasional assistant to flighty conductor Rodrigo (Gael García Bernal). Since last we saw them, the band,

as it were, has temporarily broken up. Hailey and Rodrigo have both gone abroad, and before they return to the States, they wind up in Venice, working with a temperamental opera singer (Monica Bellucci).

But of course, Kirke — 26, also of "Mistress America" and the Tom Cruise thriller "American Made," due next year — doesn't mind talking Trump first. But we decide to be positive, not negative.

I think we're at this point where we can still make a difference. What about you? Like many privileged white people, I was living under the assumption that Hillary would win and the world would be restored to normalcy. A lot of people, mostly people of color, I've spoken to have said, "Hello! Wake the f— up! That was never a reality. The things you are fearing now are the things we have always been fearing." I was doing

some minimal work on the Hillary campaign towards the end. Since then, it's been really important to focus on what I can actually do, instead of getting overwhelmed by the big whole. Democracy isn't that sexy. It's just calling your representatives over and over again, or taking Paul Ryan's health care survey, which everyone should do, by calling his office. I try to keep it really simple.

That might also involve finding a way to talk to Trump voters, in a civil way. Perhaps this is optimistic, but I think not talking to people who have different political views than you do is what got us here in the first place. Trying to have conversations with people who are different from you — that's the f—ing essence of life! Everyone's different from you, even people united by liberalism. Then again, easier said than done. But trying to engage in

conversation with people who have different views is a really valuable thing to do.

I'm not sure how to even tie what we've been talking about into "Mozart in the Jungle," but here goes: This is a show about the orchestral music scene, which is not doing that well, and will be in likely even tougher shape under a new administration that sees no use for the arts.

I like that this show is about asking if it's possible to sustain an artistic practice in more antiquated mediums, like classical music. It shows how f—ing difficult that is. In a capitalist society, things that do not make money get thrown out very quickly. We watched [the new episodes] again last night, and everything postelection has a new meaning. Watching the scene

where the orchestra is locked out of their building last night, I went, "Wow, this show knew what was going on, in a way." It's about protecting the arts and arts education and the lack of that in schools.

On a lighter note, what was it like working with Monica Bellucci? I only ask because she's such a goddess. I share that feeling. She has one of those voices that when she speaks, it makes you feel very warm and tingly inside. Also, she's a listener. As a dumb American, and obnoxious human that I am, I'll be like [blabbers nonsense], and she'll be like [sits still, waits several beats, then lets out a light laugh]. A minute later, she'll react, as though she's taking it in. Because she cares. She's processing what you say.



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Thievery Corporation reminisce for a moment



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Eric Hilton, left, and Rob Garza will release "The Temple of I and I" on Feb. 10. PROVIDED

With a career spanning decades, the artists retreated to the sun, surf and sand.

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Twenty years since their debut album, Thievery Corporation still record in the same way: cooped up in a room with instruments and plenty of booze.

That said, Rob Garza and Eric Hilton — the production duo who began recording music together in the liquor stockroom at D.C.'s 18th Street Lounge in 1995 — have made lots of musical headway since the early days.

From Latin-inspired

sounds to jazz to dub and trip-hop, they have made seven diverse, critically acclaimed studio albums. For just a moment before their next record, Garza and Hilton look back and celebrate their career with a 20th anniversary tour.

Finding the groove

Garza pinpoints their sophomore record, "The Mirror Conspiracy" (2000), as the turning point for the band. "At that moment ... people were digging it all over the world, and there was this great momentum and energy that just kind of fueled us and inspired us into having a career that's lasted 20 years," he says.

And, of course, their

defining trip-hop jam "Lebanese Blonde" is on that record. "We just really used the sitar for the first time. I think that that was really a moment — kind of making that song."

Revisiting bossa nova

Over the following 14 years, Thievery Corporation made a name for themselves as a genre-melding, politically-charged electronica group. And then they then returned to their bossa nova roots on "Saude," the group's 2014 effort.

"For me, [bossa nova is] one of my great loves in music," explains Garza. "I just love so

many Brazilian artists. There's something very cinematic, and [there's a] very nighttime quality to the music. Sort of an impressionistic vibe. It's a very beautiful form."

Coming in 2017: Jamaican vibes

For their next album,

"The Temple of I and I" (out Feb. 10), Garza and Hilton brought a band down to Port Antonio, Jamaica, to channel sounds from the Caribbean.

Garza says the new record, which dives back into trip-hop, is "more energetic." Considering their hectic daily routine during

the two-week recording sessions, we're not surprised.

"We'd hang out at the beach and get some sun and just kind of feel the vibe," he says. "And then we'd kind of lock ourselves in the studio for about 12 hours and drink Jamaican rum and eat jerk chicken and just play music and maybe step out at night for a drink or two and then do it all again."

A surprising live show

Thievery Corporation may be laid-back on their recordings — but don't expect the same onstage. The performances feature at least a dozen musicians:

sitar, bass, percussion, drums, guitar, a horn section and "about five or six singers," according to Garza.

"Sometimes people think it's going to be chill — you go there and by the time you leave ... it's a lot different from your expectations. People are pretty surprised in terms of the energy level."

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Emma Stone nerds out over musicals

The Oscar nominee talks about "La La Land" and getting horribly sick on Broadway.



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Emma Stone cracks a joke pretty much immediately as our phone interview starts for her new musical "La La Land." Typically, these chats begin with some awkward banter before you find a groove (or not). But even saying "hello" is something Stone does like a goofball. And she gets to talk about something she loves: musicals.

As a kid, the actress, now 28, was a regular at her local youth theaters. It's a muscle she's only worked now and then since becoming a Hollywood star. But it wasn't until Stone's 2014-15 Broadway stint as Sally Bowles on "Cabaret" that she really got to show the whole world her stuff. Now she's in "La La Land," an old-fashioned musical movie that reunites her for the third time with Ryan Gosling. The two play struggling Los Angelenos who fall in love while hoofing and crooning up a storm.

What was your favorite or most embarrassing role you had as a musical theater kid?
I was in a lot of stuff. A truly beloved musical for me that not a lot of people know is "Titanic," the musical. It was on Broadway for less than a year [ed. back in 1997].



Having already shared the screen in "Crazy, Stupid, Love" and "Gangster Squad," Ryan Gosling and Emma Stone do it again in the musical "La La Land." DALE ROBINETTE

The only person I know who is equally obsessed with it is Jesse Eisenberg. He and I will always sing [croons a song from the show] to each other. I was in that at my local youth theater. I was Stewardess Robinson, who survived at the end. But I've never gotten to play my dream role — well, that was Sally Bowles in "Cabaret." But I haven't gotten to play my other, deep, deep down dream role, which is Lucy in "You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown." [Laughs]

You should use your clout to bring that back to Broadway.
You think that would rock it right now?

I think we all need Char-

lie Brown right about now.
OK, good. Let's make it happen.

You did "La La Land" shortly after your "Cabaret" stint. Did that make it easier or harder?

It was kind of both. When [director Damien Chazelle] was first talking to me about it, I was sick as a dog in "Cabaret." He had come to see me and I was on all this cold medicine. I was so hopped up I didn't even know where I was, but I was on stage. I was like, "You realize I'm dying here, right? I'm so sick and I have no voice. How are we even talking about a musical?" Even though I was having the time of my life during

"Cabaret." It was my favorite experience I've had as an actor, hands down. But the idea of doing it again, for months and months, and on-screen and it will last forever — that was really overwhelming.

I didn't know you were sick on "Cabaret."
Oh my god, I got sick so many times. Oh my lord.

How does one power through a Broadway run while on death's door?
Alan Cumming [her

"Cabaret" co-star] was like, [does an Alan Cumming voice] "Darling, I'm very worried about you. You need to become a vegan." I was like, "I need to become a vegan right now? What is going on?!" [Laughs] I was always sick and he was eating flour or whatever. But it also taught me to go easier on myself as an actor. I'm incredibly hard on myself. And there's not really much you can do when you are completely sick and the show must go on. So it was actually in some ways maybe a life lesson.

Was there something on "La La Land" that was particularly difficult — a number, possibly?

Rehearsing the duet [between her and Gosling, near Griffith Observatory] was fun and took a long time. It was one take, on the hill, dancing together. We would go to Griffith on the weekend to rehearse on that hill. It felt really good when we got it.

Was there a take that was perfect and then someone screwed one little thing up?

There was one that was really good and then I fell off the bench. I went up and came back down, and they just kept rolling. I was like, "F—! We have to do it again?"

I hope you didn't hurt yourself.
No, I was fine, thank you for being so concerned.

I guess you can survive anything after "Cabaret."
Yes, exactly. I was sick on stage, I can make it through anything.



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The New York Giants are left to pick up the pieces following a Sunday loss at the Pittsburgh Steelers that was demoralizing and devastating. This Sunday (8:30 p.m., NBC), the Giants have a chance against the Dallas Cowboys to prove that the Steelers game was just a blip on the radar.

Are they the team that came into Pittsburgh on a six-game winning streak? Or are they smoke and mirrors after beating a bunch of nobody teams during their streak?

Against the 11-1 Cow-

boys and the rookie tandem of running back Ezekiel Elliott and quarterback Dak Prescott, the Giants don't face an easy task. Then again, this is the only team that has beaten the Cowboys this season, going back to Week 1.

1 Just hand it to him

The Cowboys' success this season is in large part due to the success of Elliott, the rookie running back who is already at 1,285 rushing yards and 12 touchdowns (plus he is averaging 11.5 yards per catch). Remember when teams ridiculed the Cowboys for taking Elliott so high up in the draft? Yeah, not so much now.

And while he likely won't catch Eric Dickerson's rookie record of 1,808 rushing yards,



Giants running back Shane Vereen lands on his head in Week 1 against Dallas. GETTY IMAGES

his season has his team poised for homefield advantage throughout the playoffs.

"I think all of my success is due to the offense line. Those guys, they work their tails off and they get everything started.

It's great running behind those guys," Elliott said. "They're beasts, they're the best at what they do."

2 Down is JPP

The Giants were down

with JPP this year as Jason Pierre-Paul was second on the team with seven sacks and he was a major reason why the team had that recent six game winning streak. But now that he is down for at least a month due to sports her-

nia surgery, the defensive line and the entire pass rush has a much different look and feel to it.

3 How 'bout them Cowboys?

Since losing to the Giants in Week 1, the Cowboys have done the improbable — rolling off 11 straight wins. They did look lackluster a week ago in a 17-15 win at the Minnesota Vikings, but they are winning games and limiting turnovers (Prescott has just two interceptions this season).

They are finding ways to win and are seemingly growing in confidence by the week.

All time, the Cowboys are 62-44-2 against the Giants. They've lost their last two games to the Giants, though they won the previous five games over "Big Blue."

Jets, 49ers ready for toilet bowl

It took awhile to find a team on the Jets' schedule that is as dysfunctional and troubled as they are, but Sunday's tilt at San Francisco (4:05 p.m., CBS) will feature a 49ers team that may have even more issues.

The Niners (1-11) have had issues from Day 1, on and off the field, so it should come as no shock that they'll be among the handful of teams battling the Jets (3-9) for the top pick in next April's draft.

New head coach Chip Kelly led his team to a win on opening night, and hasn't duplicated that since, losing 11 straight contests. They've flip-flopped between Blaine Gabbert and current starting quarterback Colin Kaepernick — who was dangerously close to losing his gig following last Sunday's terrible rain-soaked performance in Chicago. San Francisco is among the league's dregs in nearly every statistical category, but for the Jets, they're in no position to take anyone lightly.

Offensive coordinator



Colin Kaepernick is set to get the start against the Jets Sunday. GETTY IMAGES

Chan Gailey has been talking to his unit all week, noting that there's plenty of talent on the Niners' defensive side that cannot be overlooked.

"I start with [saying], 'Let's go by what's on film. Let's not go by stats every week.' Because stats can get skewed by two games, [and] all of a sudden you've got two bad games and your stats are through the roof defensively, but you're not really that bad," Gailey assessed. "I try to deemphasize that

from the start of the year. I've been around long enough to know that you don't put a lot of stock in that [rankings]."

The Jets' own defense has had issues as well. Prior to Monday night's massacre, Gang Green went eight games without forcing a turnover. They finally got one against the Colts (a fumble recovery), but when a team yields 41 points in front of a national audience, there's no real joy in forcing one mere turnover. TONY WILLIAMS

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Road teams have the edge in a pair of NFC East matchups this week.

Dallas Cowboys (-3) at New York Giants

The Giants have built a "giant-killer" reputation on their way to two Super Bowl titles since 2008, but recent history tells a different story. New York has won just one of its last 10 games as an underdog and was exposed in the eyes of many when it was throttled by the Steelers last Sunday. And while the Giants did beat the Cowboys in Week 1,

Dallas hasn't lost since.

In the aftermath of that season-opening clash, Ezekiel Elliott has established himself as the obvious choice for Offensive Rookie of the Year while Dak Prescott has made the Cowboys' scouts look like masterminds. Also, Jason Pierre-Paul won't be around to make their lives miserable this time (sports hernia surgery).

Eli Manning will need to find Odell Beckham Jr. more than four times (the tally in Week 1) if the Giants want to win this game. As it stands, it looks like the Cowboys will escape with yet another victory in a potential shootout.
The pick: Cowboys -3

Redskins at Eagles (E)

The Eagles have gone into

free-fall, losing their last three tilts by multiple scores and mustering an average of just 14 points in those contests. And speaking of losing streaks, Philly is in line to drop their fifth straight to the Redskins this Sunday.

Philly's Oct. 16 clash with Washington was an exercise in futility, as the Eagles were torched for 493 yards by the Redskins offense. Kirk Cousins should have no problem working his will downfield once more, as the Eagles have surrendered an average of over 277 YPG through the air during their three-game skid. And while the 'Skins have dropped their last two games on the road, they've still been a good bet away from D.C. this year. Washington is the

Best of the rest

Houston Texans at Indianapolis Colts (-6)
Arizona Cardinals at Miami Dolphins (-1)
Minnesota Vikings (-3.5) at Jacksonville Jaguars
Denver Broncos at Tennessee Titans (-1)
Pittsburgh Steelers (-2) at Buffalo Bills
Cincinnati Bengals (-6) at Cleveland Browns
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Seattle Seahawks (-2.5) at Green Bay Packers
Baltimore Ravens at New England Patriots (-7)



Dak Prescott's only career loss came against the Giants. GETTY IMAGES

best bet of the week.

The pick: Redskins (E)

Bears at Lions (-8)

After beating up on the hapless 49ers last week, the Bears are in for a dose of reality as they travel to Detroit.

The Lions are 7-1 ATS (against the spread) in their last eight games

and have covered in each of their last five home games. And while the Bears did beat Detroit back in October, Brian Hoyer was leading the way at QB that day. The interception-prone third-stringer Matt Barkley (four picks in just 87 attempts) is now in charge.
The pick: Lions (-8)

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MICHAEL MCMAHON, KAREN BRACEY, et al. Defendant(s).

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Index Number 7903/2014 Guy R. VITACCO JR., ESQ.,

Referee
Sayfarth Shaw LLP
Attorney(s) for Plaintiffs
620 Eighth Avenue
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TEEPU KHAN, et al. Defendant(s).

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Index Number 704975/2014 CHARLES EDWIN LAPP III, ESQ., Referee

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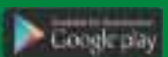


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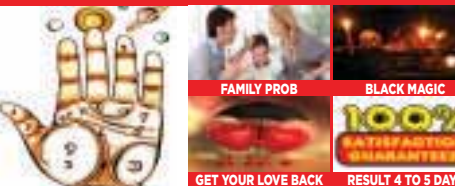
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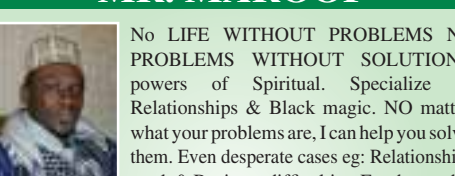
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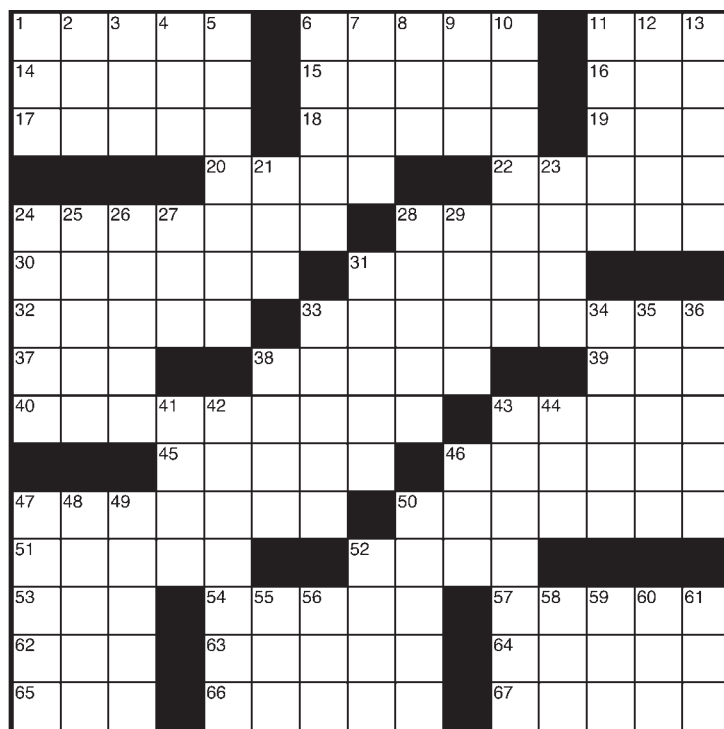
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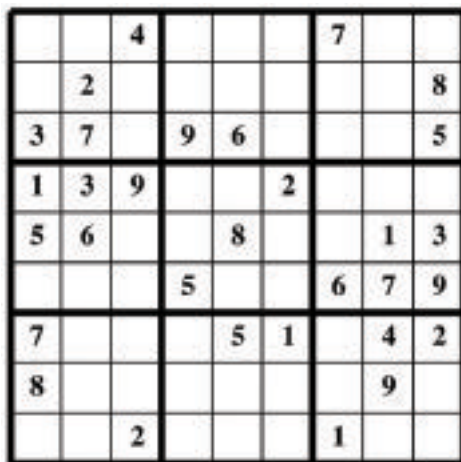
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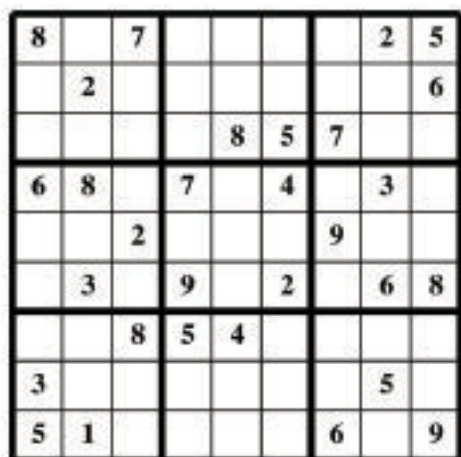


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Aries You may come under pressure if you aren't prepared. Do your research and be ready to match anyone who wants to face off with you. Victory is heading your way.



Taurus Use your mind in order to get your way. Putting physical demands on someone will not help you come out on top. Learn from experience.



Gemini Put your time and energy into doing a great job. Lending a helping hand is commendable, but being taken advantage of isn't fair. Set a limit as well as boundaries.



Cancer You may want to bring about change, but having a legitimate plan that is realistic and easy to implement will determine whether you will be successful.



Leo A change will do you good. Making travel plans, attending a conference or visiting places that spark memories will help you bring about new beginnings.



Virgo Get involved in activities that will help you put your troubles on the back burner. The break will do you good and help you put domestic situations in perspective.



Libra Relationships may need a little encouragement, but once you start to share and compromise, you will find common ground. Change is favored, but avoid overspending.



Scorpio Give more thought to the future and stop dwelling on the past. Mistakes should help you learn and push you forward with more knowledge and experience.



Sagittarius Personal change will bring about positive results. Address the things you don't like and adjust your life in order to fulfill your dreams.



Capricorn You'll be taken by surprise if you aren't careful. Don't rule out anything or commit to something until you have all the facts. Your intuitive intelligence will pay off.



Aquarius Appeal to the hearts of the people involved in an unsavory situation you are facing. Getting to the bottom of things will put you in a key position.



Pisces You'll gain insight into your profession and what measures you have to take in order to bring about positive change. An unusual source will surprise you. **EUGENIA LAST**

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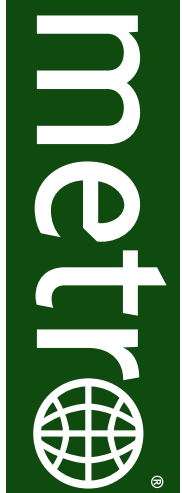


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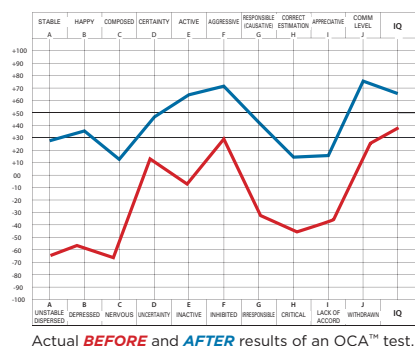
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Answer each question by marking one of the following:

- (+) **Definitely yes, or mostly yes**
(M) **Maybe or uncertain**
(-) **Definitely no, or mostly no**

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000	1. Do you make thoughtless remarks or accusations which later you regret?	000	33. Do you make efforts to get others to laugh and smile?	000	65. Are your opinions insufficiently important to tell other people?
000	2. When others are getting rattled, do you remain fairly composed?	000	34. Do you find it easy to express your emotions?	000	66. Are you so self-assured that it sometimes annoys others?
000	3. Do you browse through railway timetables, directories, or dictionaries just for pleasure?	000	35. Do you refrain from complaining when the other person is late for an appointment?	000	67. Do you keep "close contact" on articles of yours which you have loaned to friends?
000	4. When asked to make a decision, would you be swayed by your like or dislike of the personality involved?	000	36. Are you sometimes considered by others a "spoilsport"?	000	68. Do you enjoy activities of your own choosing?
000	5. Do you intend two or less children in your family even though your health and income will permit more?	000	37. Do you consider there are other people who are definitely unfriendly toward you and work against you?	000	69. Does emotional music have quite an effect on you?
000	6. Do you get occasional twitches of your muscles, when there is no logical reason for it?	000	38. Would you admit you were wrong just to "keep the peace"?	000	70. Do you completely condemn a person because he is a rival or opponent in some aspect of your relations with him?
000	7. Would you prefer to be in a position where you did not have the responsibilities of making decisions?	000	39. Do you have only a few people of whom you are really fond?	000	71. Do you often "sit and think" about death, sickness, pain and sorrow?
000	8. Are your actions considered unpredictable by other people?	000	40. Are you rarely happy, unless you have a special reason?	000	72. Are you perturbed at the idea of loss of dignity?
000	9. Do you consider more money should be spent on social security?	000	41. Do you "circulate around" at a social gathering?	000	73. Are you always collecting things which "might be useful"?
000	10. Do other people interest you very much?	000	42. Do you take reasonable precaution to prevent accidents?	000	74. Would you criticize faults and point out the bad points on someone else's character or handiwork?
000	11. Is your voice monotonous, rather than varied in pitch?	000	43. Does the idea of talking in front of people make you nervous?	000	75. Are you openly appreciative of beautiful things?
000	12. Do you normally let the other person start the conversation?	000	44. If you saw an article in a shop obviously mistakenly marked lower than its correct price, would you try to get it at that price?	000	76. Do you sometimes give away articles which strictly speaking do not belong to you?
000	13. Are you readily interested in other people's conversations?	000	45. Do you often feel that people are looking at you or talking about you behind your back?	000	77. Do you greet people effusively?
000	14. Would the idea of inflicting pain on game, small animals or fish prevent you from hunting or fishing?	000	46. Are you "always getting into trouble"?	000	78. Do you often ponder on previous misfortunes?
000	15. Are you often impulsive in your behavior?	000	47. Have you any particular hate or fear?	000	79. Are you sometimes considered forceful in your actions or opinions?
000	16. Do you speak slowly?	000	48. Do you prefer to be an onlooker rather than participate in any active sport?	000	80. Do you accept criticism easily and without resentment?
000	17. Are you usually concerned about the need to protect your health?	000	49. Do you find it easy to be impartial?	000	81. Are you usually undisturbed by "noises off" when you are trying to rest?
000	18. Does an unexpected action cause your muscles to twitch?	000	50. Have you a definite set standard of courteous behavior in front of other members of your family?	000	82. Are you likely to be jealous?
000	19. Are you normally considerate in your demands on your employees, relatives, or pupils?	000	51. Can you "start the ball rolling" at a social gathering?	000	83. Do you tend to put off doing things and then discover it is too late?
000	20. Do you consider that you could give a valid "snap judgment"?	000	52. Would you "buy on credit" with the hope that you can keep up the payments?	000	84. Do you prefer to abide by the wishes of others rather than seek to have your own way?
000	21. Do your past failures still worry you?	000	53. Do you get an after-reaction when something unexpected such as an accident or other disturbing incident takes place?	000	85. Do you find it easy to get yourself started on a project?
000	22. Do you find yourself being extra-active for periods lasting several days?	000	54. Do you consider the good of all concerned rather than your own personal advantages?	000	86. Do you bite your fingernails or chew the end of your pencil?
000	23. Do you resent the efforts of others to tell you what to do?	000	55. When hearing a lecturer, do you sometimes experience the idea that the speaker is referring entirely to you?	000	87. Do you "turn up the volume" of your emotions just to create an effect?
000	24. Is it normally hard for you to "own up and take the blame"?	000	56. Does "external noise" rarely interfere with your concentration?	000	88. If we were invading another country, would you feel sympathetic towards conscientious objectors in this country?
000	25. Do you have a small circle of close friends, rather than a large number of friends, speaking acquaintances?	000	57. Are you usually "up-to-date" on everyday affairs?	000	89. Are there some things about yourself on which you are touchy?
000	26. Is your life a constant struggle for survival?	000	58. Can you confidently plan and work towards carrying out an event in six months time?	000	90. Do you have few interests and activities that are your own choice?
000	27. Do you often sing or whistle just for the fun of it?	000	59. Do you consider the modern "prisons without bars" system doomed to failure?	000	91. Do you ever get a single thought which hangs around for days?
000	28. Are you considered warm-hearted by your friends?	000	60. Do you tend to be careless?	000	92. Are you a slow eater?
000	29. Would you rather give orders than take them?	000	61. Do you ever get a "dreamlike" feeling toward life when it all seems unreal?	000	93. Can you be a stabilizing influence when others get panicky?
000	30. Do you enjoy telling people the latest scandal about your associates?	000	62. Do you speedily recover from the effects of bad news?	000	94. Would you stop and find out whether a person needed help even though they had not directly asked you for it?
000	31. Could you agree to "strict discipline"?	000	63. When you criticize, do you at the same time try to encourage?	000	95. Are you prejudiced in favor of your own school, college, club or team, etc.?
000	32. Would the idea of making a complete new start cause you much concern?	000	64. Are you normally considered "cold"?	000	96. Do you pay your debts and keep your promises when it is possible?
				000	97. Do you sleep well?
				000	98. Would you use corporal punishment on a child aged ten if it refused to obey you?
				000	99. Do you prefer to take a passive role in any club or organization to which you belong?
				000	100. Are you logical and scientific in your thinking?
				000	101. Does the youth of today have more opportunity than that of a generation ago?
				000	102. Do you throw things away only to discover that you need them later?

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000	103. Would you give up easily on a given course if it were causing you a considerable amount of inconvenience?	000	137. Are you less talkative than your associates?	000	169. Do you find it hard to get started on a task that needs to be done?
000	104. Do you "wax enthusiastic" about only a few subjects?	000	138. Do you usually carry out assignments promptly and systematically?	000	170. Are you opposed to the "probation system" for criminals?
000	105. Do you rarely suspect the actions of others?	000	139. Would you assist a fellow traveler rather than leave it to the officials?	000	171. Do you spend much time on needless worries?
000	106. Do you sometimes wonder if anyone really cares about you?	000	140. When voting, do you vote the same party ticket straight rather than studying the candidates and issues?	000	172. In a disagreement do you find it hard to understand how the other person fails to see your side, and thus agree with you?
000	107. Do you turn down responsibility because you doubt your fitness to cope?	000	141. Do you frequently dwell on your past illnesses or painful experiences?	000	173. Do you cope with everyday problems of living quite well?
000	108. Do you sometimes feel compelled to repeat some interesting item or tidbit?	000	142. Do you get very ill at ease in disordered surroundings?	000	174. Are you usually truthful to others?
000	109. Do you tend to exaggerate a justifiable grievance?	000	143. Do you usually criticize a film or show that you see or a book that you read?	000	175. Would you rather "wait for something to happen" as opposed to you causing it?
000	110. Is your facial expression varied rather than set?	000	144. When recounting some amusing incident can you easily imitate the mannerisms or the dialect in the original incident?	000	176. Do you spend too freely in relation to your income?
000	111. Do you usually need to justify or back up an opinion once stated?	000	145. In subjects about which you are not expert, are your own ideas of sufficient importance as to tell others?	000	177. Can you take a "calculated risk" without too much worry?
000	112. Do you openly and sincerely admire beauty in other people?	000	146. Do you have a tendency to tidy up a disorder of somebody else's household?	000	178. If you were involved in a slight car accident, would you really take the trouble to see that any damage you did was made good?
000	113. Would it take a <i>definite effort</i> on your part to consider the subject of suicide?	000	147. Can you accept defeat easily without the necessity of "swallowing your disappointment"?	000	179. Do others push you around?
000	114. Would you consider yourself energetic in your attitude toward life?	000	148. Do you often feel depressed?	000	180. Do you make allowances for your friends where with others you might judge more severely?
000	115. Would a disagreement affect your general relationship with another person?	000	149. Are you ever ill at ease in the company of children?	000	181. Do you often ponder over your own inferiority?
000	116. Does a minor failure on your part rarely trouble you?	000	150. Do you get frustrated at not being able to do something rather than finding a substitute activity or system?	000	182. Do people criticize you to others?
000	117. Do you sometimes feel that you talk too much?	000	151. Are you sometimes completely unable to enter the spirit of things?	000	183. Are you embarrassed by a hearty greeting such as a kiss, hug, or pat on the back, if done in public?
000	118. Do you smile much?	000	152. Do you rarely express your grievances?	000	184. Do you frequently not do something you want to do because of other people's desires?
000	119. Are you easily pleased?	000	153. Do you work in "spurts," being relatively inactive and then furiously active for a day or two?	000	185. Are you sometimes convinced of the correctness of your opinions about a subject even though you are not an expert?
000	120. When met with direct opposition would you still seek to have your own way rather than give in?	000	154. Does the number of incomplete jobs you have on hand bother you?	000	186. Do you often find yourself "going off in all directions at once"?
000	121. Provided the distance were not too great, would you still prefer to ride rather than walk?	000	155. Do people enjoy being in your company?	000	187. Do your acquaintances seem to think more of your abilities than you do?
000	122. Do you ever get disturbed by the noise of the wind or a "house settling down"?	000	156. Could you allow someone to finish those "final two words" in a crossword puzzle without interfering?	000	188. Is the idea of death or even reminders of death abhorrent to you?
000	123. Is your opinion influenced by looking at things from the standpoint of your experiences, occupation or training?	000	157. Do you consider the best points of most people and only rarely speak slightly of them?	000	189. Having settled an argument out do you continue to feel disgruntled for a while?
000	124. Do you often make tactless blunders?	000	158. Do you laugh or smile quite readily?	000	190. Are you friendly in voice, attitude and expression?
000	125. Are you suspicious of people who ask to borrow money from you?	000	159. Are you definite and emphatic in voice and manner?	000	191. Does life seem rather vague and unreal to you?
000	126. Are your decisions swayed by personal interests?	000	160. Are you effusive only to close friends if at all?	000	192. Do you often feel upset about the fate of war victims and political refugees?
000	127. Can you get quite enthusiastic over "some simple little thing"?	000	161. Are your interests and fields of knowledge so important as to give little time for anything else?	000	193. Do "mere acquaintances" appeal to you for aid or advice in their personal difficulties?
000	128. Do you frequently take action even though you know your own good judgment would indicate otherwise?	000	162. Would you like to "start a new activity" in the area in which you live?	000	194. If you lose an article, do you get the idea that "someone must have stolen or mislaid it"?
000	129. Are you in favor of color bar and class distinction?	000	163. Would you take the necessary actions to kill an animal in order to put it out of pain?	000	195. If you thought that someone was suspicious of you and your actions, would you tackle them on the subject rather than leaving them to work it out?
000	130. Are you aware of any habitual physical mannerisms such as pulling your hair, nose, ears, or such like?	000	164. Is it easy for you to relax?	000	196. Do you sometimes feel that your age is against you (too young or too old)?
000	131. Can you quickly adapt and make use of new conditions and situations even though they may be difficult?	000	165. Do you have little regret on past misfortunes and failures?	000	197. Do you have spells of being sad and depressed for no apparent reason?
000	132. Do some noises "set your teeth on edge"?	000	166. Does the idea of fear or apprehension give you a physical reaction?	000	198. Do you do much grumbling about conditions you have to face in life?
000	133. Can you see the other fellow's point of view when you wish to?	000	167. Can you trust the decision of your judgment in an emotional situation in which you are involved?	000	199. Do you tend to hide your feelings?
000	134. Do you go to bed when you want to, rather than "by the clock"?	000	168. Could someone else consider that you were really active?	000	200. Do you consider you have many warm friends?
000	135. Do the "petty foibles" of others make you impatient?				
000	136. Do children irritate you?				

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